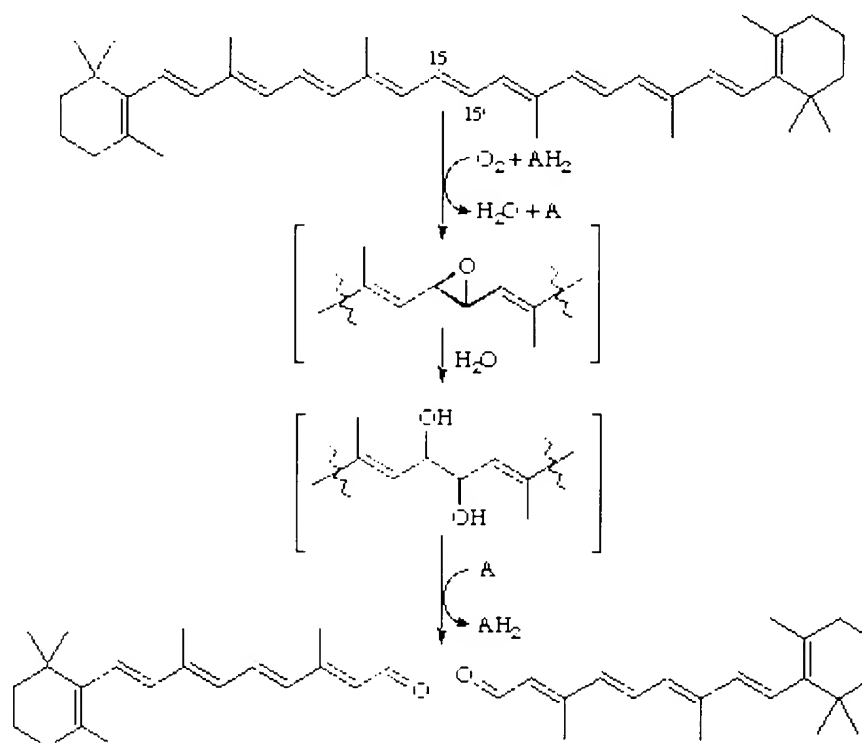


EC 1.14.99.36

β -carotene 15,15'-monooxygenase



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ENTRY EC 1.13.11.21 Obsolete
NAME Transferred to 1.14.99.36
CLASS Oxidoreductases
Acting on single donors with incorporation of molecular oxygen
(oxygenases)
With incorporation of two atoms of oxygen
COMMENT Transferred entry: now EC 1.14.99.36, beta-carotene
15,15'-monooxygenase (EC 1.13.11.21 created 1972, deleted 2001)
DELINKS IUBMB Enzyme Nomenclature: 1.13.11.21
ExpASY - ENZYME nomenclature database: 1.13.11.21
WIT (What Is There) Metabolic Reconstruction: 1.13.11.21
BRENDA, the Enzyme Database: 1.13.11.21

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ENTRY [EC 1.14.99.36](#)
NAME [beta-carotene 15,15'-monooxygenase](#)
[beta-carotene 15,15'-dioxygenase](#), [carotene dioxygenase](#)
[carotene 15,15'-dioxygenase](#)
CLASS [oxidoreductases](#)
Acting on paired donors with incorporation of molecular oxygen
Miscellaneous
SYSNAME [beta-carotene: oxygen 15,15'-oxidoreductase \(bond-cleaving\)](#)
REACTION [beta-carotene + O2 = 2 retinal](#)
SUBSTRATE [beta-carotene](#)
PRODUCT [retinal](#)
COMMENT Requires bile salts and Fe(II). The reaction proceeds in three stages, epoxidation of the 11,15'-double bond, hydration of the double bond leading to ring opening, and oxidative cleavage of the ring formed. cf. [EC 1.14.15.8](#), cholesterol monooxygenase [side-chain-cleaving]. Thus only one atom of the dioxygen is incorporated into retinal. Formerly [EC 1.11.11.1](#) as it was considered to be a dioxygenase.
REFERENCE 1
Lodenberger, M.S., Engeloch-Barret, C. and Woggon, W.D. The reaction mechanism of the enzyme-catalysed central cleavage of beta-carotene to retinal. *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* 40 (2001) 2614-2616.
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Goodman, D.S., Huang, H.S., Menai, M. and Shiratori, T. The enzymatic conversion of all-trans beta-carotene into retinal. *J. Biol. Chem.* 242 (1967) 3643-3654.
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Goodman, D.S., Huang, H.S. and Shiratori, T. Mechanism of the biosynthesis of vitamin A from beta-carotene. *J. Biol. Chem.* 241 (1966) 1919-1922.
PATHWAY PATH: [K00001](#) Retinol metabolism
ORTHOLOG KO: [K00515](#) beta-carotene 15,15'-monooxygenase
GENES HSA: [10630](#) (ECOD)
MGI: [63857](#) (Bcdp)
RNO: [114105](#) (Bcdp)
REE: [F4030](#) (bcdc)
DISEASE MIM: [605748](#) Beta-carotene 15,15'-prime-dioxygenase
DOLINKS IUBMP Enzyme Nomenclature: [1.14.99.36](#)
ExPASy - ENZYME nomenclature database: [1.14.99.36](#)
WIT (What Is There) Metabolic Reconstruction: [1.14.99.36](#)
BRENDA, the Enzyme Database: [1.14.99.36](#)
CAS: 37250-60-3

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ENTRY EC: 1.14.99.36
 NAME beta-carotene 15,15'-monooxygenase
 beta-carotene 15,15'-dioxygenase, carotene dioxygenase
 carotene 1',15'-dioxygenase
 CLASS Oxidoreductases
 Acting on paired donors with incorporation of molecular oxygen
 Miscellaneous
 SYSNAME beta-carotene:oxygen 15,15'-oxidoreductase (bond-cleaving)
 REACTION beta-carotene + O2 = 2 retinal
 SUBSTRATE beta-carotene
 PRODUCT retinal
 COMMENT Requires bile salts and Fe(II). The reaction proceeds in three stages, epoxidation of the 15,15'-double bond, hydration of the double bond leading to ring opening, and oxidative cleavage of the diol formed [cf. EC 1.14.15.4, cholesterol monooxygenase (side-chain-cleaving)]. Thus only one atom of the dioxygen is incorporated into retinal. Formerly EC 1.14.11.1 as it was considered to be a dioxygenase.
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 Jendresberger, M.G., Engeloch-Jarret, C. and Woygon, W.D. The reaction mechanism of the enzyme-catalysed central cleavage of beta-carotene to retinal. *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* 40 (2001) 2614-2616.
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 Goodman, L.S., Huang, H.S., Wanai, M. and Shiratori, T. The enzymatic conversion of all-trans beta-carotene into retinal. *J. Biol. Chem.* 242 (1967) 3843-3854.
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 Goodman, L.S., Huang, H.S. and Shiratori, T. Mechanism of the biosynthesis of vitamin A from beta-carotene. *J. Biol. Chem.* 241 (1966) 1419-1422.
 PATHWAY PATH: MAP06010 Retinol metabolism
 ORTHOLOG EC: P12511 beta-carotene 15,15'-monooxygenase
 GENES ECA: 13636 (HOLCO)
 MMT: 13811 (Bodo)
 MNO: 114106 Bodo
 MPE: 14031 (Bodo)
 DISEASE KIM: 105146 beta-carotene 15,15'-prime-dioxygenase
 DPLINKS KUBM: Enzyme Nomenclature: 1.14.99.36
 EXPASY - ENZYME nomenclature database: 1.14.99.36
 WIT (What Is There) Metabolic Reconstruction: 1.14.99.36
 BRENDA, the Enzyme Database: 1.14.99.36
 CAS: 17256-80-3

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